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For

Shoes.



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EXCLUSIVE AGENTS.

HYPNOTIST HART.

Has the Town Worked Up By
His Queer Djinns.

Wonderful Things Performed Ev-
ery Night at the Opera
House.

Hart, the hypnotist, is giving
nightly performances at the Opera
House to packed houses. His
week's engagement will come to an
end to-morrow night and he has
proved to be the sensation of the
week.

On Monday night at the close of
his performance he put Mr. Reese,
one of his two assistants, to sleep
and the sleeper remained in the
State of hypnotic slumber until 9
o'clock Wednesday night, when he
was awakened on the stage. During
the two days he slept he was on
exhibition day and night in one of
Anderson's show windows. He ap-
peared to be sleeping naturally on a
cot, frequently turning over and
tossing about on the cot. The Opera
House was crowded until standing
room was at a premium Wed-
nesday night when Reese was
aroused at the command of Hart
and walked from the stage.

Many wonderful things are done
by Mr. Hart every night and he
has no lack of subjects to hypnotize.
While under this influence the sub-
jects are made to do many amusing
things and the audience is highly
entertained.

On Tuesday afternoon one of the
most successful tests was made of
Mr. Hart's mind-reading power.
A committee of five gentlemen was
selected at Hotel Latham to pre-
pare the test. One of the five re-
mained at the Hotel to see that
Mr. Hart was not com-
municated with by anyone while
the other members of the com-
mittee went out and wrote the name
of Dr. J. R. Armistead on a sheet
of paper, enclosed it in two envelopes
and taking it to the postoffice de-
posited the package in a lockbox
with other mail matter. The key
to the box was then taken to the
Phoenix Hotel and concealed in the
match-box and the committee re-
turned to the Latham. Mr. Hart
was blind-folded and taking the
hand of Mr. Meacham, one of the
committee, followed the route out-
lined in his guide's mind, without a
word being spoken or a sign of any
kind given, and proceeded rapidly,
walking in advance, to the place
where the key was hidden, secured
it without hesitation and going to the
postoffice selected the identical box.

Berries To-Day

The
Largest
Ever
Seen
On
The
Local
Market.

For
25 Cts. Measured Gallons.

Cheaper than any other berry
for table use or preserving.

Vegetables of all kinds.

Wallis' Grocery

out of several hundred boxes, un-
locked it and selected the proper
envelope out of a handful of mail and
carried it to Dr. Armistead, who did
not himself know that he had been
selected for the test and who was an
entire stranger to Mr. Hart. The
test was an entire success and was
absolutely straight, so far as the part
taken by the committee was concerned.

The performance to-night will
possess some new features. People
will be hypnotized in their seats in
the audience and others will be
made to perform things they could
not do on their own accord.

The performances given are well
worth the prices charged.

LYNCHING IN MEIXCO.

Seven Colored Laborers Victims
of an Infuriated Mob.

Diaz, Mexico, May 23.—There is

great excitement in the town of San

Dialo, ten miles from here, over the

lynching of seven colored laborers

on the Mexican Central Railway.

Jose Santo, a Spanish negro, at-

tempted to assault the wife of Senor

Duply, a ranch owner, and, escap-
ing from the plantation, was track-
ed by bloodhounds and in company

with nine others were captured in a

hut on the river bank opposite

Eagle Pass. The regulators did

not attempt to prove the guilt of any

of the negroes, but hanged three of

them and shot four more who were

attempting to escape. The officials

are swearing in deputies, as race

trouble is threatened in the colored

quarter.

Four of the negroes killed are

Americans and have all served sen-
tences in the Texas penitentiary.

MAY BE TROUBLE.

The Cubans Are Holding Back
and Refusing to Disband.

Havana, May 24.—The San-
guillies, Lacret, Vidal, Mayia,
Rodriguez and all the late Cuban
Military Assembly, aided by the
opposition newspapers, are advi-
sing the Cuban soldiers not to give
up their arms—"Not to sell the
souvenirs of their heroic struggle
for liberty" and "Not to part with
H. Adele MacGill.

It is pointed out that even Gomez,

in his proclamation, counseled the
soldiers to go home with or without
money.

Gen. Brooke, of course, will pro-
ceed with the programme without
heeding the opposition.

The military inquirers into the
matter have lost all confidence in
the rolls prepared by the Cuban
Military Assembly. Hence, if 15,-
000 or 20,000 men appear for pay-
ment, the expectations of the Ameri-
cans will be satisfied, but the dis-
sidents will assert that as 39,930
men were enrolled any number less
than that appearing for payment will
represent armed Cubans who
reject the American conditions. In
any event, a large percentage of the
\$3,000,000 will not be disbursed.

MORE FIGHTING.

Another Sharp Skirmish Reported
in The Philippines.

Manila, May 24.—Gens. Mac-
Arthur and Funston, with the Kansas
and Montana regiments and the
Utah battery, have dispersed 800
insurgents, who were entrenched on
the railroad beyond San Fernando,
near Santa Arita.

The American scouts were fired
upon from the trenches unexpectedly
and withdrew. The firing was
heard at San Fernando, and Gen.
MacArthur assembled his troops
and marched quickly after the
scouts. The Montana regiment
flanked the trenches on the left and
the Kansas regiment attacked the
enemy's right flank. Gen. Funston
leading the charge at the double
quick.

The insurgents' loss was large,
many prisoners were captured, and
it is reported that twenty Americans
were wounded.

Lots of bright hope is exchanged
for gloomy experience.

CREAM OF NEWS.

Interesting Information About
Many Local Matters.

Lucky List of Pupils Who Are
To Graduate From the
Public Schools.

The agony is ended and the ap-
plicants for graduating diplomas
from the High School department of
the Hopkinsville Public Schools now
know their fates.

There were originally 26 in the
class, but for one reason or another
only 20 remained in the schools to
stand the examination. Of this
number all but two stood the exam-
ination and will be given diplomas
on the night of June 8, at the taber-
nacle.

In addition to the diplomas, there
are five scholarships of two years
each to be awarded to those attaining
the highest average grades. Should
any decline, the next in or-
der will succeed to the honors. The
first honor pupil gets first choice
and so on down to fifth choice.

Two of the scholarships in the Ken-
tucky State College and one in
South Kentucky College are open to
both sexes. The other two in Bethel
Female College and Oxford College,
Oxford, O., are for girls only.

In the class there are three boys
and fifteen girls, whose names are
given below:

Robbie Lea Anderson.

Gilly Patty Bartley.

Lillian Lacy Bush.

Lee Newton Byars.

Ola Cayce.

Annie May Cox.

Karl Lander Dietrich.

Belle Morton Edmunds.

Florence Lee Elgin.

Annie Wheeler Faxon.

Willie Fay Jackson.

Carrie Bailey Leavell.

H. Adele MacGill.

Annie Withrow McPherson.

Addie P'Pool.

Lucy Long Tandy.

William McKinney Terry.

Elizabeth Finch Walker.

IVERSON BOYD DEAD.

Formerly Lived In This County
—Was a Prominent Citizen.

News was received in this city
Tuesday of the death of Mr. Iverson
B. Boyd, which occurred Monday
at his home in Brandon, Miss. Mr.
Boyd formerly lived in Christian
county, about five miles northwest of

this city, and was an uncle of
Mr. Rufus Boyd. He moved to Mis-
sissippi about 30 years ago, and
had since made his home in that
state. He was a prominent citizen
and had accumulated considerable
property. He was 72 years old and
leaves a family.

ASK \$200 DAMAGES.

I. C. Railroad Company Sued by
Christian County Farmer.

J. R. H. Wolfe vs. the Illinois Central
Railroad Company, is the style of
a suit filed in the Circuit Court
Wednesday. The petition says
that plaintiffs operate the Peter
Garland farm (two miles west of the
city) through which the defendant's
road runs, and that the defective
construction of a cattle guard has
allowed stock to trespass on a field
of wheat belonging to plaintiffs.
They allege that they have thereby
been injured pecuniarily to the ex-
tent of \$200.

HIT THE CAP.

With a Hatchet And the Cartridge
Exploded.

A little son of America Johnson,
col., of this city, came near losing
his life yesterday morning by care-
lessness. He took a dynamite car-
tridge and placing it upon a large
rock, hit the cap with a hatchet.
An explosion followed and frag-

ments of the crushed rock struck
the boy on the legs, arms and in
his face, making a number of
wounds. None of them are con-
sidered of a very serious nature,
however, though he lost considera-
ble blood.

HEAVY DAMAGES WANTED.

Suit Brought Against the L. & N.
for \$2,500.

Eliza Doxey filed suit yesterday
against the L. & N. railroad com-
pany for \$2,500 damages. She al-
leges that in descending the steps
on the company's platform at Central
City on Feb. 12 last, her foot
caught in a loose tie strip and she
was thrown head foremost with
such violence that she fractured
one of her wrists, and that the use
of her hand has been permanently
disabled. She claims that the steps
were steep, narrow and defective
and that the strips were tacked in
a manner that would cause a per-
son to trip. She was enroute, she
claims, to Owensboro, when the ac-
cident happened.

HELLO! HERNDON.

Thriving Little Town In Touch
With The Outside World.

The Cumberland Telephone and
Telegraph Company has completed its
Hopkinsville and Lafayette line
as far as Herndon, and that thriv-
ing little town is now in close touch
by wire with the outside world. The
office at Herndon is located in Mr.
T. V. Dawson's store and Mr. Dawson
is in charge. Poles for the re-
maining distance are being placed
along the road and have been put
up to a point about one mile South
of Herndon. The work of putting
in the poles the balance of the dis-
tance will probably take one more
week and then in a very few days
the whole line will be in working
order.

PEMBROKE BLAZE.

Eugene Kelly's Drug Store and
Contents Destroyed by Fire.

Mr. Eugene Kelly's drug store at
Pembroke was destroyed by fire
last Friday night, together with
the entire contents. The fire is
supposed to have originated from
matches ignited by rats, as there
had been no fire in the store for
some time.

The loss is estimated at about
\$2,500. There was \$1,700 insur-
ance. The building was owned by
Mr. W. W. Garnett and was hand-
some structure.

MEETS TODAY.

State Universalist Convention in
Session at Consolation.

The State Universalist Convention
will meet at Consolation Church in
North Christian, today and remain
in session over Sunday. Ample
preparations have been made to en-
tertain the people and a large crowd
is expected each day during the
session.

Rev. Arthur Roberts, of this city,
will deliver the annual sermon.
Delegates from every Universalist
church in Kentucky will be on
hand.

DEATHS IN ARMY.

Total Number Since War With
Spain Began Reaches 6,200.

New York, May 24.—A special
to the Herald from Washington
says: Adjt.-Gen. Corbin has pre-
pared this statement of the number
of deaths which have occurred in
the army since the beginning of the
war with Spain: In Cuba, 1,399; in
Porto Rico, 287; at Honolulu, 45; in
the Philippines, 66; in the United
States, 3,872. Total, 6,209.

Dr. Marshall Dead.

Dr. J. C. Marshall, one of the
most prominent physicians of West-
ern Kentucky, died at his home in
Guthrie Sunday, after an illness of
several weeks, of cerebro-spinal
meningitis. He was 48 years old
and a brother of Mrs. Dr. J. R.
Paine, of Pembroke.

SLANG NECESSARY.

Sam Jones Tells Why he Uses it in His Preaching.

In a sermon in Louisville the other day Sam Jones, the preacher, gave this explanation of his use of slang:

"People go around saying they don't like Sam Jones because he uses so much slang in his sermons. Methen if you take slang away from me I wouldn't be any more accurate than the preachers you hear every Sunday. I use slang just like a Pullman car uses wheels. The car is nice but the wheels are dirty. I wouldn't think about the old dirty wheels if I wanted to go to heaven, but I'd just climb aboard. Sisters, your old business needs curvy combs. They'll do 'em good, too. When nice preaching won't do the work something else must be given. If I have a patient and if a sedlitz powder or some little pellets won't cure him, I'll drop ten grains of calomel on his tongue, and see what that will do for him. I believe in giving medicine according to the disease. If you give me a congregation of angels, I'll preach the most eloquent and rhetorical sermon to them you ever heard. But, my! wouldn't that be out of place in Louisville?"

"I never preached a sermon that was any worse than my audience. The bad ones pick out the worst parts."

"Some of you ain't got as much sense as a cow. The farmer gives his cow hay. She picks out the good cow and leaves the thistles. I throw you as much good hay as I can. You pick out a few thistles and say, 'That is the worst hay I ever saw.' There are two kinds of preaching in every one of my sermons. If a man lives right, brethren, you can't hurt him with the truth."

Anteocite Your Bowels With Cascara

Chandy Cathartic, cure constipation 10c. 25. All C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

A Word For Dietrich.

Replying to the Murray Ledger, Prof. J. J. Glenn, of the Guthrie Graphic says:

While we have no disposition in the world at present to defend the American Book Co., nor do we know that Prof. Dietrich stands particularly in need of our defense, yet we feel that it would not be out of place to say a good word for a man whom we know to be one of the very best and truest gentlemen with whom we have ever been acquainted. Prof. Dietrich has perhaps done as much to build up the public school system of the State as almost any of the teachers of the Commonwealth. He was the first superintendent of the city schools of Hopkinsville, a position which he held for 16 years and a place that he held as long as he desired it. There has not been a State Teachers' Meeting held for years that has not been present and thus has helped to build up the schools of the country.

As to his trying to elect a Legislature, the very idea is preposterous. He is a Republican and perhaps knows as little of politics as any sensible man in the whole State. Simply because he happens to be in the employ of a book company is far from being evidence to us that he is a rascal.—Glenn's Graphic.

"You never saw the sun rise in your life, He'en; how dil you print that picture you call 'Dawn'?"

"I painted a sunset—it looks just the same."

TRIPLE WEDDING.

Three Mountain Sisters Wedded Under One Ceremony.

Lucy, Nora and Addie Durham, daughters of John Durham, a prominent saw mill man, living about eight miles from Morehead, Ky., were married to Sherman Roberts, Elias Bradley and Charles (Hyatt, respectively the other day, under the same ceremony by Elder Murphy. The Misses Durham are the only children of Mr. and Mrs. John Durham. Mr. Roberts is a well-known school teacher of Elliott county. Charles A. Hyatt is one of the leading young attorneys of the place, and Elias Bradley a young business man of Brady Switch.

A Lunatic's Retort.

There is said to be an inmate of the Hopkinsville asylum whose idiocy takes the form of a hallucination that he has swallowed a Democrat. He goes about spitting and rubbing his stomach and complaining of the bad taste that comes up into his mouth as a result of having eaten the unruly politician. Not long ago there were a number of visitors to the asylum, all Republicans, who took much delight in hearing the poor fellow complain of his unhappy experience.

He was questioned closely as to how the Democrat tasted as he went down and as to whether the Jeffersonian caused much disturbance in the gastric regions.

The lunatic took it all good naturedly and patiently, and finally heralded:

"I'm awful glad it wasn't a Republican I swallowed."

Then one of his tormentors asked why.

"Because it would have killed me on the spot," replied the sufferer, solemnly.

Then the visitors traveled on and the insane one passed his hand over on his stomach with an expression of relief.—Hartford Herald.

"Hollow Bracken."

In commenting upon "Hollow Bracken," in its column of notes about new books, the Globe Democrat of St. Louis, says:

"Hanson Penn Diltz is a Kentuckian who has written several books that have won for him no small measure of fame and material reward. The latest is "Hollow Bracken." It is a sensational story but there is a large audience for that kind. There is plenty of mystery in the tale, and a plot of the most intricate and absorbing nature. There is a good deal of the element of race hatred and blood curse and this affords opportunity for skillful character drawing and startling situations. The tale possesses more than common interest."

Strawberry Show at Russellville.

The enterprising fruit growers of Southern Kentucky have arranged for a grand strawberry show to be held at Russellville next Saturday, May 27. The premium list is a liberal one and includes, we presume, all the popular varieties of strawberries. There are 47 classes. We regret that the program did not reach us in time to be published on the horticultural page. The committee request that all entries be correctly named and they should be at the hall by 10 o'clock and arranged on the tables and ready for the judges by 12. Doors open to the public at 1 o'clock, p. m. The committee are: L. A. Freeman, of Auburn, W. Cook and A. D. Webb, of Bowling Green.—Farmers Home Journal.

Buff Wyandottes.

I see you are publishing articles from breeders of Plymouth Rocks, Leghorns, Blue Andalusians, etc., on their particular breeds. Now I wonder why you would not as well publish an article on the Buff Wyandottes, if some one would only urge you little. I believe that you will, and so I will improve this opportunity and write a short article.

Although not a fancy breeder for 20 or 30 years, yet I have been trying to breed and raise poultry according to the rule and law of our fanciers for seven years. I have raised the Brahmans, Leghorns, Plymouth Rocks, and have now selected the Buff Wyandottes, which come very near to my ideal of an all-purpose fowl. Not so roamy and active as the Mediterranean class, and not so clumsy and awkward as the Asiatics.

Many are booming the Plymouth Rocks as the leading American class, and others are booming the Wyandottes. Both are good all-purpose fowls, but having raised both for some time, I have come to the conclusion that the Wyandottes suit me the best. One great point in their favor is the rose comb. How were the long spikes of the single combs effected during our last winter's cold spell. Many were entirely disqualified for breeders, being too badly frostbitten for further use.

Knowing more of the Buffs than of any of the other Wyandottes, I speak from the view I taken of the Buffs. I consider them more comingly than the Rocks, and not so saucy and impudent as the Mediterraneans. Gentle and yet active, but not so nervous as to jump out of their skin when you make a sudden move.

The more I work about my Buffs, the better I like them. Good layers, as mine have proven by laying 30 eggs in 34 days. Good mothers, as mine have proven, by hatching out chicks from 17 eggs during that cold weather in February, and raising them all. This may not conform to the cream from Mr. Wiltman's scrap book, nor to the theories that have been advanced that you can't raise chicks early without an incubator; it was an experiment with me, and I believe that I can do the same again with my Buff Wyandottes. I had no artificial heat at any time, but only the natural heat of the hen. And I will venture the assertion that some of the 50 or 100 egg incubators did not bring forth more fruit. Let the breeders of Buff Wyandottes not stand back, but blow their horns, and all who have had the Klondike fever, let them raise Buffs, and they can see the yellow nuggets at any time. Let us hear from others in the American Poultry Advocate, and advertise that justice as it deserves.—D. B. STAULMAN, in American Poultry Advocate.

Feed for the Sitters.

Most breeders have settled down to shelled corn alone as feed for the sitting hens. As a usual thing this is all that will be required. A mixed ration is more liable to produce bowel trouble and lead to the formation of the nest. But a hen will occasionally find her way into the hatching room which will lose in health by being confined to an exclusive corn ration, and if she is not given a change will not be able to complete the task assigned to her. When the hens are taken from the nest, if one is seen which does not show a relish for the food and moves around in the pen while the others are greedily devouring the corn, she should be given access to some other kind of food, or else removed from the pen and her unfinished task given to another hen. Even though she should survive until the hatch is completed, she will be reduced to such a weakened condition that she will be in no shape to take charge of her brood.—Wallace's Farmer.

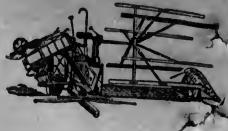
Soft Job For Hay.

Mr. L. C. Hay, representing the Cincinnati branch of the American Type Founders Co., in Kentucky, and well known to all of the newspaper people, has been appointed to a very soft place as division superintendent in the Government printing office. Mr. Wladimir Tetzlaff succeeds him as drummer for his former house in this territory.

According to the germ theory, the only safe way to clean a house is to

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With a full stock of Machines and Extras.

It will pay the farmers to see these machines before placing their orders, as there is no machine on the market as well adapted to their needs as The Milwaukee. We have the only solid chain harvester on the market and the only machine that raises and lowers from the seat, and the only concave steel bull-wheel and the only truck that goes on without bolts.

IN THE
MILWAUKEE MOWER

We have the only perfect foot-lift and chain drive on the market and there are many other features about both machines that would interest you by examining same. New lines added—Headquarters New Huber Threshing Machines; Owensboro Wagons; general line Parlin & Ornford's Implements; Binder Twine, Etc. We are located in the Bont building, corner 8th and Water streets, Hopkinsville, Ky., and will be glad to show you through these machines and serve you at all times.

Yours Respectfully,

Watkins & Edwards.

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La Creole Will Restore those Gray Hairs of Yours

SOLD BY R. C. HARDWICK, HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

Poultry Tricks.

Old timers who remember the cockpit as a flourishing institution know that the handlers, in preparing a gamecock for a battle, would make the bird fierce and courageous by daily duels so cleverly conducted that the feathered champion would fancy itself a real victor. The method was to face the bird and push at it with the hand, meanwhile clucking to arouse the chanticleer to anger, and also to throw it upward, an hour at a time to strengthen the wings and legs. Properly trained, the fowl becomes all whipcord and has no fear of anything that walks or flies. There is as much handling of show birds, but on the reverse principle. The birds are made tame and gentle and are taught to walk in a style that will bring out their good points. They are tugged under the back to make them hold their heads up jauntily, the combs meanwhile held in tin helmets to keep the edges unbroken and upright, and the feathers are treated in divers ways to bring out the gloss and full beauty of plumage.

Poultry judges have a standard of perfection to which the prize birds must conform in head, legs, body, combs, wattles, and so closely is the plumage considered that as the fanciers say, they "must breed to a feather." To pass the scrum successfully some exhibitors have been known to pull false feathers and insert missing ones, to deftly color the plumage by artifice, and also to splice the feathers, all practices forbidden by the show rules.

Such tricks seldom escape the notice of the judges, however, and the exhibitors who rely upon diet and good training to fit the birds usually win the most prizes. It is allowable to wash white fowls and to oil slightly colored plumage, but otherwise the birds must be shown in the natural condition. Every fancier keeps his stock and show birds in distinct yards, and the latter are in training until too old to travel about and strut in public. —American Poultry Advocate.

Concerning the Dust Bath.

To make hens pay they must be treated appropriately, and one of the great things essential to their welfare is the dust bath. Indeed, the dust bath to them is what the bath tub is to persons; aye, more! for it not only cleanses their bodies and gives them exercise but it drives away vermin. Let a fowl be busily engaged in dusting itself, it signifies that the bird is happy and in good health.

No flock, therefore, can be well depended upon to prove compensative in winter as one having this positive essential provided artificially for its thrift and comfort. Accordingly, as autumn advances, the poultier ought to look to it that a good supply of clean, dry earth is stored away for that purpose, since once the ground is covered with snow and frozen hard, by no means is the procuring of it an easy matter.

Now, road dust is most excellent, providing it is clean; but rather than to gather this always and perhaps in so doing deprive the highway of a necessary element, I suggest that the material be taken from well-cultivated field, just after the crops have been gathered. Usually there is a dry spell in fall; yes, several of them—when this can be done. Simply scrape up a little of the surface soil here and there, where potatoes have been dug or beets, turnips, carrots and the like have been plowed out, and if not quite sufficient dryness spread the same in the sun on some boards or hard, smooth ground for a while.

And if the soil gathered is stony—what then? Why, so much the better. All the large stones should be picked out, of course, but if the small ones are left it will afford the world of delight in winter to look them over.

Well, harvest enough earth in this manner to fill several barrels, albeit you possess only an ordinary sized flock, and having mixed some coal ashes with it, store the whole away in the cellar or some dry

place where access to it will be handy.

Owing to my mentioning coal ashes, I wish to add that never ought wood ashes to be employed. Why? Because if fowls get wet, as they frequently do during the winter, not only will the caustic properties of the ashes irritate, but possibly injure them. Coal ashes moderately mixed with earth, however, will not do this. Hence the preference for coal ashes.—FRED. O. SINER, in Coleman's Rural World.

About Fresh Eggs.

In all the large city markets there is a premium paid for absolutely fresh eggs. This premium often amounts to four or five cents a dozen. Many farmers sell their eggs, and then grumble because they do not command the top figures. The reason is that they are not fresh eggs. Simply because they just left the farm is no indication that they are fresh. In fact, the eggs gathered directly from the farm are often mixed with stale egg. Modern methods of testing eggs will decide the matter every time, and they are classified accordingly.

The reason for these stale eggs is not far to seek, and it lies with the farmer to remove the cause. Eggs are gathered usually on the farm and kept in a basket until there are enough to send to market. Those put in the basket first may be a week or ten days old. By the time they reach the city market they are so stale that they are classed as seconds or inferior, and can be sold only to cheap trade. One who pretends to sell eggs for good prices should never keep them in the house or nest more than three days. Eggs shipped conscientiously twice a week will invariably command the best prices.

Another evil is that when a hen steals her nest and lays 15 or 20 eggs and they are found, the farmer is apt to mix these up with the fresh eggs. If anyone will stop to think he will understand that the eggs laid first in the batch must be two weeks old. To mix them with the fresh eggs is to give the whole lot a bad reputation. Examiners do not test every egg of a consignment, but a certain number out of a box, and if these few stale eggs should happen to be selected the whole lot would be condemned. It would be cheaper in the end to use the eggs from such a nest, or to sell them separately from the fresh eggs.—Exchange.

The Polish and Hamburgs.

The Polish and Hamburgs are both ornamental and useful, but as these breeds are bred for beauty in preference to utility, the result is breeding in and in to a certain extent, which has contributed to a loss of vitality as compared with some of the harder breeds. The Polish are excellent layers and do not attempt to sit. They lay large, white eggs, and though tender when young, if kept dry and well cared for, they are hardy when matured. Of the different breeds of Polish may be mentioned the Bearded Golden, Bearded Silver, Bearded White, Ruff-crested Black. All the varieties of Polish have large crests, while some have beards running around, and under the throats. They are gifted with all shades of color, many of the varieties possessing plumage of the greatest beauty to be conceived of on the domestic fowls. The Hamburgs, with the exception of the Black, are mostly Penciled or spangled, and have rose combs, which terminate in a spike at the rear. They lay beautiful white eggs, often exceed any of the other breeds in number, but as they are small fowls they are not general favorites.—Farm and Fireside.

"Junior Conductor" Corbett.

The order of Railroad Conductors, in session at Detroit, Mich., elected E. E. Clark Grand Chief Conductor. A. J. Corbett, of Nashville, the well known L. N. conductor on the Henderson division, was elected Grand Junior Conductor. The conductors will meet next year in St. Paul, Minn.

Paris contains 10,000 individuals who live by begging.

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The combined population of Europe and America is about 800,000,000.

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Of the people are afflicted with some form of humor, and this causes a variety of disease. The reason why Hood's Sarapeptile cures when all others fail is found in the fact that it effectively expels the humor. Scrofula, salt rheum, boils and all eruptions are permanently cured by this great medicine.

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Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam.

An apothecary can prescribe Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam in any quantity, Cures your Cough in a day. Very popular with Children. Try it. Large size bottles \$1.00.

For a Beautiful Complexion Use Dr. Cariert's German Liver Powder.

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Forty two million pounds of India rubber were imported in North America last year.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

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Fortune is very human: we hold off her choice gifts by hinting for them.

Many old soldiers now feel the effects of the hard service they endured during the war. Mr. Geo. S. Anderson, of Rosselle, York County, Penna., who saw the hardest kind of service at the front, is now frequently troubled with rheumatism. "I had a severe attack lately," he says, "and received a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It did so much good that I would like to know what you would charge me for one dozen bottles." Mr. Anderson wanted it both for his own use and to supply it to his friends and neighbors, as every family should have a bottle of it in their home, not only for rheumatism, but lame backs, sprains, swellings, cuts, bruises and burns, for which it is unequalled. For sale by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist.

When the first strawberry shortcake appears a solemn hush pervades the family circle.

Whooping Cough.

I had a little boy who was nearly dead from an attack of whooping cough. My neighbors recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I did not think that any medicine would help him, but after giving him a few doses of that remedy I noticed an improvement, and one bottle cured him entirely. It is the best cough medicine I ever had in the house.—J. L. Moore, South Burgettstown, Pa. For sale by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist.

No woman is genuinely hopeless until she quits caring how her frocks fit in the back.

"What's in a name?" The word "itter" does not always indicate something harsh and disagreeable.

PARASYL Balsam is proof of the claim. It is astringent and regulates the system thoroughly, yet it is so pleasant the most delicate stomach will not object it.

More married women would receive bouquets if husbands didn't feel so silly carrying flowers.

A Sure Thing For You.

A transaction which you cannot lose is a sure thing. Billious, sick headache, furred tongue, fever, pills and other thousand ills are caused by constipation, sluggish liver, weak heart, Caudy Cather, the wretched old liver, etc. Dr. Cariert's German Liver Powder is the best medicine made, but for your Cough try Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam. Price 25c and 50c.

A Bottle. For sale by Anderson & Fowler.

As a rule, whenever we find a brook we find stepping stones.

A TIMELY HINT.

You should be sure that your blood is

rich and pure and your whole system put in a perfectly healthy condition by the use of Dr.

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FRIDAY, MAY 26, 1899.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Railroad Commissioner,
J. FLETCHER DEMPSEY,
of Hopkins County.

Jerry Simpson has gone into
journalism, calling his new paper
The Bayonet.

John Allen looks like a certain
winner in the Senatorial race in
Mississippi.

Joseph H. Browning, of Louisville,
was elected Department Com-
mander of the Kentucky G. A. R. at
the Glasgow encampment.

The Czar's international Peace
Conference is now in session at The
Hague. Andrew D. White is one
of the honorary presidents.

Jno. M. Letterle and John Tevis
have been declared the Democratic
nominees for the Legislature in two
of the Louisville districts, having
no opposition.

Auditor Sam H. Stone has an-
nounced as a candidate for Governor
on the Republican side. This
makes up the race with three en-
tries on each side.

Calloway is to be made one of the
battle-fields of the Purchase.
Goebel and Hardin have both
spoken and Stone has an appoint-
ment at Murray for Monday June 3.

The return of Peffer to the Re-
publican party is an event of no
especial significance. His vote
was controlled by the Republicans
while he was in the Senate upon all
matters except the currency ques-
tion.

Lee Elmore, of the Mayfield Mir-
ror, and Ed Walker, of the Clinton
Democrat, were defeated for legisla-
tive nominations. They are such
good newspaper men that their
readers do not want them to waste
three months of good time at Frank-
fort.

By a law recently passed in Illi-
nois non-resident hunters in that
state must pay a license of \$10.
This will be news, and not very
agreeable news at that, to Kentuckians
who have found the Illinois
game fields so enticing along the
border counties.

The Conference of Democratic lead-
ers now in session at Louisville will
formulate the issues for next year.
"Anti-Trusts," "Anti-expansion"
and "Free-silver" will all come in
for consideration as the dominant
issue. Bryan will be the central
figure of the gathering.

Some more very high-handed
"machine politics" was indulged in
this week when the Mayor of Lex-
ington, a Hardin man, summarily
dismissed seven policemen because
they were Goebel men. The Goebel
men claim that the Mayor has been
promised the Stewardship of the
Lexington Asylum.

Mr. Bryan, while on his way to
the Bimetallic League Convention,
will stop over for a day with his
kinsman, Mr. J. L. Bryan, of Glas-
gow. Yielding to the urgency and
insistence of his friends and admirers,
Mr. Bryan has consented to speak,
and will address the public
at the court-house in Glasgow,
Wednesday, May 31st, at two
o'clock.

Margaret Bailey, familiarly
known as "Aunt Peggy," died at
Monument City, Ind., this week.
"She was bred in old Kentucky,"
and was in her 104th year and she
never married, often remarking in
her later years that she was not
opposed to matrimony, but had not
met the right man, although she
had several opportunities to wed.
Her death, which occurred at the
home of her niece, Mrs. Maria
Bailey, was calm and peaceful—a
mere running down of the machine.
At the time of her death she weighed
but 50 pounds.

THE OFFICIAL CALL.

At a meeting held by the Demo-
cratic state executive committee in
the city of Lexington, March 8, 1899,
it was ordered that a state conven-
tion be held in the city of Louisville
on Wednesday, June 21, 1899, for
the purpose of nominating Demo-
cratic candidates for state offices,
to be voted for on November 7, 1899.
Said convention shall be called to
order at 11 o'clock a.m.

Delegates to said convention shall
be chosen at county mass conven-
tions, to be held at the various county
court-houses in counties having
but one legislative district, of which
due notice shall be given by the
various county chairmen. In counties
having more than one legislative
district there shall be a convention
for each legislative district, to be
held at some convenient point, to be
indicated by the chairman of the
legislative district committee, who
shall advertise in the local papers
the location of said convention at
least ten days prior to the date
fixed by this committee. Said county
and legislative district conventions
shall be held at 2 o'clock p.m.,
standard time, on June 17, 1899.
Said conventions shall be called to
gether by the chairman of the res-
pective county or legislative district
committees.

The basis of representation of
each county to the said state con-
vention shall be one delegate for
each 200 votes and fraction consist-
ing of one hundred or more votes
cast for the head of the Democratic
electoral ticket at the presidential
election in 1896; provided that each
county shall have at least one de-
legate vote.

All known Democrats and others
who supported W. J. Bryan for
president, and those who pledge
themselves to support the nominees
of said conventions shall be entitled
to participate in the county or
legislative district conventions.

P. P. JOHNSTON, Chairman,
OWEN COCHRAN, Secretary.

The Henderson Journal says
there is not a Goebel man in Hen-
derson county. Gov. Brown, the
ablest man Henderson has ever
turned out, is claimed by the Goebel
men, and the report from his home
county is probably exaggerated. It
will be too bad if Goebel has to take
along an outsider to introduce him
when he speaks in Henderson June 10.

Gen. Hardin's latest utterance on
the election law was at Murray
Monday and was reported as follows
by the Ledger:

"As to the election law he thought
it unnecessary to make an issue of
a law already passed, and the platform
law was to be put in the platform
way not put in all other laws."

Bank Liquidating.

OWENSBORO, Ky., May 23.—The
Citizens' Saving Bank here has de-
cided to pay off all depositors at
once and go out of business. The
Farmers' and Traders' Bank is
also liquidating business.

Seven-Inch Strawberries.

UNION CITY, Tenn., May 22.—There
were raised on the farm of W. H.
Wade, two miles of Kenton, the largest
strawberries ever grown in this section.
They measured 7 inches in
circumference and weighed
one-quarter of a pound each.

Arm Amputated.

Lizzie, the 10-year-old daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Binns, of Glendale,
had her arm amputated last
Friday. Dr. Bacon, of Hopkins-
ville, performed the operation.
About three weeks ago the little
girl fell out of a chair and broke
her arm, which rendered amputa-
tion necessary.—Cadic Record.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot
reach the diseased portion of the ear.
There is only one way to cure deaf-
ness, and that is by constitutional
remedies. Deafness is caused by an
inflamed condition of the mucous
lining of the ear, and when the ear
is thus inflamed, you have
a shrill sound or imperfect hearing,
and when it is entirely closed, deaf-
ness is the result, and unless the in-
flammation can be taken out and this
restored to its normal condition,
hearing will be destroyed forever;
nine cases out of ten are caused by
catarrh, which is nothing but an in-
flamed condition of the mucous
tissues.

He will give One Hundred Dollars
for any case of Deafness (caused by
catarrh) that cannot be cured by
Hall's Starck Cure. Send for cir-
culars, free.

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THE HOUSE OF TALIAFERRO.

Established in Virginia Three Cen-
turies Ago.

A member of the Virginia family
of Taliaferro has just been elected
to the United States Senate from
Florida on the first ballot of the
state legislature.

The first Taliaferro in Virginia
was Robert, described as a gentle-
man, which, under the elastic use
of the term in early days, may have
meant that he was a planter or that
he had no occupation. His son
John fought the Indians in 1692.
Philip was a member of the house
of delegates in 1780. Numerous
other members of the family bore
the titles of captain, major, colonel,
etc. The Virginians were generous
in the distribution of brevet
ranks.

John Taliaferro was elected to
Congress from Virginia, and served
from 1801 to 1803, from 1811 to 1813,
from 1824 to 1831, and from 1835
to 1843. Benjamin Taliaferro, who
was sent to Congress from Georgia
from 1799 to 1802, was born in Vir-
ginia, and during the revolutionary
war served as a subordinate in
Morgan's celebrated rifle corps,
and its commander made the reputa-
tion of Gen. Nathaniel Greene.
William B. Taliaferro was an officer
of the old regular army, which he
entered as a captain. He commanded
a division of Confederate troops
in Florida, and another division of
Lee's army in the last months of
the civil war.

The United States Senator from
Florida was a private in the Con-
federate army. He was only four-
teen years old when the war broke
out, and after the war started a
sawmill in Florida. The Taliaferro
sons appear to have the habit of be-
ginning near the bottom and work-
ing their way up. At the present
time Senator Taliaferro is a bank
president and at the head of a num-
ber of important business enter-
prises. The Taliaferros have done
their work in the world very well.
With the usual hostility of an English
community to an un-English
name, the name of Taliaferro has
been shortened by Virginians into
Toliver in common speech, and in
those poorer branches of the family
in which the past has been lost
sight of the spelling has adapted
itself to the pronunciation. A family
of Tolivers were conspicuous in
one of the fierce southern mountain
feuds of a few years ago.—Philadelphia
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EIGHTY YEARS OLD.

England's Venerable and Beloved

Queen.

Queen Victoria is the only child
of Edward, duke of Kent, and
Maria Louisa Victoria of Saxe-
Coburg-Saalfeld. She was born at
Kensington palace, May 24, 1819.
She succeeded to the throne June
20, 1837, and was crowned in West-
minster Abbey June 28, 1838. On
Feb. 10, 1840, she was married to
her cousin, Prince Albert of Saxe-
Coburg-Gotha, whose family name
was Wetten. If, therefore, she had
been a private individual, she would
have been called Mrs. Wetten. On
Dec. 14, 1861, her husband, known
as the Prince consort, died. In
April, 1867, she was authorized by
act of parliament to assume the title
of Empress of India. She has had
nine children. The recent formal
laying of the cornerstone of the Victoria
and Albert museum by her
majesty is generally regarded as
likely to be her last official act.

Her general health is good, but
she is almost totally blind from
cataracts on both eyes. The sight of
one eye is already entirely gone.
She celebrated her 80th birthday
last Wednesday.

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before forty there's
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HARRISON GOES ABROAD.

Making His First Visit Outside
the United States.

Ex-President Harrison sailed for Europe last Wednesday, with his wife and baby, to attend the arbitration of the Guiana boundary dispute as the attorney of the government of Venezuela. He will have associated with him ex-Secretary Tracy of his cabinet and Mr. Mallet Provost, a lawyer of New York, who was secretary of the Venezuela boundary commission. Mr. Andrade, who has been Venezuelan minister at Washington for many years, and whose brother is president of that republic, went by the same steamer, and will act as an adviser to the counsel. Chief Justice Fuller will be a member of the board of arbitration.

This is one of the biggest lawsuits ever tried, as it involves the ownership to a territory as large as Virginia, exceedingly rich in minerals.

This is President Harrison's first trip abroad. He has never before been outside the limits of the United States, and does not expect to return for two years or more. In the meantime he and Mrs. Harrison will visit the principal cities of Europe, and perhaps spend the winter in Egypt and the Holy Land. The ex-president takes with him a special passport, prepared by direction of Secretary Hay, and when the custom house or police officials of the effete monarchies examine it they will learn that he is about the biggest fish that was ever caught in their net. Gen. Harrison is modest and retiring in his manner, although he never shrinks from public demonstrations and never seeks them. He realizes that a certain amount of deference is due to a man who has held the exalted office of president of the United States, and has the dignity and self-possession to receive it without embarrassment. Those who know him well are confident that he will create a favorable impression in Europe, and it is expected that he will receive a great deal of official attention there.—Chicago Record.

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FIGURES CONCERNING EGGS.

Merchant's Conclusions Show Importance of "Hen Fruit" in Industry.

One of the several commission merchants in South Water streets who have achieved more or less enviable reputations as market specialists yesterday gave out a job lot of figures concerning eggs. This merchant is one of the patriarchs of the congested thoroughfare and his findings are regarded as reliable and accurate as any that can be had. His figures showed that the number of eggs entertained in Chicago in one way or another from April 1, 1895, up to and including last Saturday, was 792,344,880. This conclusion was reached by assuming that every one of the 2,200,000 cases received in the market contained thirty dozen individual and distinct specimens of the "fruit." Although the merchant did not set down in black and white anything touching upon the general quality of the eggs, he expressed the thought that

gross receipts represented material qualified in every way to associate with palates and stomachs.

"I suppose it all those eggs were in that one egg would be as tall as the Washington monument and as wide at the middle as the Ashland avenue side of Union Park," said the merchant. "Great Scott! what a 'scramble' that egg would make!"

Last week the receipts of eggs in Chicago, exclusive of "through" shipments, amounted to 61,601 cases, a decrease as compared to the receipts of the week immediately previous of 21,744 cases, and an increase as compared to the total of the corresponding week last year of 9,365 cases. Eggs were in fair way yesterday, the offering being moderate and the demand at 12 and 12½ cents being good. Duck eggs were sluggish at 12½ cents and goose eggs had but little to do at 15 cents. Chicago Record.

CUBAN HEROINE A MOTHER.

Mrs. Evangelina Cisneros Carbonel's Daughter Born in Cuba.

Washington, May 24.—Mrs. John A. Logan has received a letter from the husband of Evangelina Cisneros, now Mrs. Carlos Carbonel of Havana, announcing the birth of a daughter, who is to be named after her mother.

The romantic rescue of Miss Cisneros from prison in Havana was one of the most thrilling incidents of the Cuban war for independence, accompanied by Mr. Carl Decker, and that a true love match grew out of the misfortunes of the young daughter of the Antilles makes the recently arrived little one an object of peculiar interest to Cubans.

Mr. and Mrs. Carbonel were married on June 5, 1898, at the residence of Mrs. John A. Logan in this city, where Miss Cisneros was making her home at the time.

RETURN VETS.

Banqueted by Capt. John Feland Tuesday Evening.

Capt. John Feland entertained the returned soldiers at his handsome new home on Clay street at supper Tuesday night. Mrs. Feland was assisted by Mrs. J. H. Kugler in her duties as hostess. The feast was a substantial meal and was greatly enjoyed by the guest. The soldiers present were:

Capt. Logan Feland, Owensboro; Col. Jett Henry, Lieut. R. C. Payne, Hiram Thomas, Elton Zimmerman, J. E. Buchanan, Felix Robinson, Will Starling, John Stites, Otho Vaughan.

One or two other guests, not military gentlemen, were also on hand.

WE HAD ONE

Fiddler in That Contest Last Night at Paducah.

The Old Time Fiddlers' Contest at Paducah last night was no doubt the biggest thing of the kind ever pulled off in Kentucky. At least one contestant from Christian county was on hand. Dr. E. R. Cook sent down a one-armed fiddler named Prichett, who holds the fiddle between his knees while he plays. News from the local contestant will be eagerly awaited.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, May 25.—(Special)—July wheat opened at 75¢ and closed at 76¢; Sept. wheat opened at 76 and closed at 76½; Sept. corn opened at 34½ and closed at 33½.

A Texas Wonder.

Hall's Great Discovery. One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery cures kidney and bladder troubles, rheumatism, cure diabetes, sciatica, consumption and lame back, rheumatism and allilder in both men and women. Relieves bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle in two months' treatment and will cure any case above mentioned.

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Covington, Ga., July 23, 1898. This is to certify that I have used Dr. Hall's Great Discovery for Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Troubles, and will say that it is far superior to any thing I have ever used for the above complaints. Very respectfully,

H. I. HORTON ex-Marshal.

LIST INCREASING.

Another Batch of Plaintiffs With Unhappy Hearts.

Lizzie Crenshaw sues for divorce from her husband, Damon Crenshaw, alleging abandonment and failure to support. They were married in 1895 and lived together one year.

George Bacon wants a legal separation from Evie Bacon. They were married in Clarksville, Tenn., in 1886 and lived together in this county until '94. Bacon wants a divorce and the custody of their two children.

Carrie Whitlock asks that the bonds of matrimony between herself and Edmund Whitlock be severed. The petition states that they only lived together one year and plaintiff charges abandonment.

Samuel Grady wants a divorce from Jane Grady. He alleges abandonment without cause.

All of the above couples are colored.

Of the eighty suits already filed for the June term of court thirty-three are divorce causes. This is the largest number of suits of this character ever filed in the Christian Circuit court to be tried at one term. A week yet remains in which to file suits and this list will be greatly increased, if the ratio of the past ten days is kept up.

FIVE FAILED.

Teachers' Certificates Issued to 17 Persons.

The examining board completed the work before them and issued certificates yesterday to 17 of the 22 applicants for teachers' certificates. Of these twowers first class, nine second class and six third class. Five failed to pass.

The examination was very rigid. Following are the questions asked on one subject alone, that of Civil Government:

1. What is a State? A colony? 2. If a Senator of the United States should resign, to whom would he address his resignation? How would the vacancy be filled? 3. To what number of Senators is the present Congress entitled? What States fail to elect Senators last winter and this spring? What number of Representatives?

4. Name some of the duties of the Secretary of State; the Secretary of the Navy. Give the names of the men that filled these positions during the recent war.

5. How was Hawaii originally governed? How is it governed at the present?

6. How long may the General Assembly of Kentucky continue in session? When and how often does it meet?

7. How may one not born in the United States become a citizen thereof?

8. What is protocol? An armistice? "Concert of the Powers?" 9. Explain the steps necessary to make a treaty of peace valid in the United States.

10. If the President vetoes a measure, is his action final? Explain.

The Hopkinsville Tobacco Market.

Sale of 50 hds. of tobacco by Wheeler & Faxon, May 17 and 24. 36 hds. com. leaf, \$6.75, 6.70, 6.50, 6.50, 6.40, 6.30, 6.25, 6.00, 6.00, 5.95, 5.90, 5.75, 5.70, 5.70, 5.60, 5.60, 5.50, 5.50, 5.30, 5.30, 5.25, 5.10, 5.00, 5.00, 4.95, 4.95, 4.90, 4.90, 4.75, 4.75, 4.70, 4.60, 4.50.

14 hds. lugs, \$4.10, 4.00, 3.75, 3.75, 3.35, 3.20, 3.00, 2.90, 2.90, 2.75, 2.50, 2.25, 2.10.

Sales by Ragsdale, Cooper & Co., Main Street Tobacco Warehouse, Hopkinsville, Ky., May 23 and 24, of 405 hds. as follows:

3 hds. leaf, \$10 to \$11.25.

8 hds. leaf, 9.00 to 9.95.

21 hds. leaf, 8.00 to 8.95.

56 hds. leaf, 7.00 to 7.90.

70 hds. leaf, 6.00 to 6.80.

55 hds. leaf, 5.00 to 5.80.

95 hds. lugs, 4.00 to 4.95.

80 hds. lugs, 3.00 to 3.95.

25 hds. lugs, 2.00 to 2.90.

Respectfully,

R. E. COOPER,
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Administrator Appointed.

T. C. McKnight has qualified as administrator of the estate of the late McKnight brothers, Barrett and N. E., who were killed in a saw mill explosion near Crofton a few

weeks ago. Messrs. John Campbell, Thos. Bennett and Dr. J. W. Pool were selected as appraisers of the estates.

ELOPED TO TENNESSEE.

Fairview Couple Have the Nuptial Knot Tied in Clarksville.

Mr. Maxey Wade, a prominent young Fairview farmer, and Miss Effie Steele, of the same neighborhood, a daughter of the late Jas. D. Steele, eloped to Clarksville Wednesday and were united in marriage. The young couple returned to Fairview last night.

Both Mr. Wade and his bride are exceedingly popular in Fairview society circles and their many friends in this city join in wishing them a bright and happy future.

For Whooping Cough, Asthma, Bronchitis, or Consumption, no medicine equals COUSSEN'S HONEY OF TAR. Price 25 and 50 cents. For sale by R. C. Hardwick, druggist.

JOHN BULL BANKRUPT.

British Government Was Once Unable to Pay Its Debts.

"John Bull bankrupt" sounds strange to-day, and the chancellor can afford to smile at the idea as he reckons up the nation's balance sheet for 1899; but it was not always so. Once, indeed—102 years ago—the Bank of England virtually declared the British government bankrupt.

It came about in this way: Five years before the eighteenth century closed France declared war against Great Britain and Holland, and there was a great drain on the gold of the country. The most anxious man in Britain was Pitt, the minister of finance, whose resources were strained to the utmost.

For months Pitt had only obtained accommodation from the Bank of England by bringing great and constant pressure to bear upon that institution, but nobody was more astounded than Pitt when the "Old Lady of Threadneedle street" took it into her head to threaten England with bankruptcy.

A year or two before, the bank had refused the paper of a private banking firm and compelled it thereby to stop payment, the next day for a million sterling and in the universal confusion which overwhelmed the financial world a hundred country banks suspended payment. Then the government stepped in and saved the situation.

But now the government itself was in peril. The treasury had sent its gold to the bank for payment amounting to over \$200,000, and, there not being sufficient gold in the country, the bank had resolved on a coup d'état to save the situation.

The court of chartered money changers met in Threadneedle street and resolved that the bills should not be discharged unless money was sent down for the purpose. The meaning of such a resolution, as those versed in the ways of financiers will not need to be told, was nothing more nor less than that the government could not meet its liabilities.

Pitt trembled when the news was brought to him, and everybody, from the king on the throne to the man in the street, talked of this and nothing else. How, people asked of one another, could the government get along without money?

The bank, of course, had promised to pay gold for its notes when demanded, and had done so to do so it had broken its promise. But for the government to have pressed the bank would have intensified the trouble a hundredfold, as the government owed the bank an enormous debt.

The king and his ministers were summoned to town on Sunday morning; a privy council was held at Whitehall and a meeting of ministers in Downing street, both of which the king attended. There was only one course by which the country could be saved, and, daring as it was, it had to be taken.

The government threw itself between the bank and its creditors and commanded the bank to withhold all cash from the public until parliament met and come to some decision. The prohibition was ordered to remain in force for six months after parliament met, and during that period small bank notes were issued and were generally accepted as cash everywhere.

Matters in this way righted themselves and the wheels of government went round again.—London World.

A Tax on Amusements.

Russia has probably the most curious tax in the world. It is called the "amusement tax," and was instituted a year or two ago to fund an institution for the poor, under the title of the "Empress Marie Foundation." The tax is laid upon every amusement ticket sold, and the managers raise the price accordingly. Already more than 1,000,000 rubles have been raised in this way.

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The strength of the body is increased and the waste is thrown off. It is due to this fact that persons with weak lungs, obstinate cough, bronchitis, and other diseases, who have had to lead to consumption, find a complete cure by using "Golden Medical Discovery."

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best medicine for the cure of consumption. M. Hartwick, of Denison, Oregon, Co., N. Y. It is about three years ago my health began to fail. Last fall I got a great deal of help from the physicians pronounced enlargement of the heart. I could not ride a horse, and I must not ride. In fact I could not ride nor walk, nor hardly sit still; could not lie on my back, nor stand, nor sit. I had to give up "Medical Discovery" and "Pilelets," took them for three months, and then I got well again.

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My son was afflicted with rheumatism which contracted his right limb until he was unable to walk. After using one and a half bottles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm he was able to be about again. I can heartily recommend it to persons suffering from rheumatism.—JOHN SNIDER, Freed, Calhoun Co., W. Va. For sale by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist.

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When people buy, try, and buy again, as they're satisfied. The people of the United States are now buying "assure-a-Cure" Cathartics, at the rate of two million doses a year and it will be three million before New Year's. It means merit proved, that Cascarets are the most delightful bowel regulator for everybody the year round. All druggists 10c, 25c, 50c a box, cure guaranteed.

When life begins to give me the cold shoulder he decides that he is tired of life.

HAS NATURE WARNED YOU?

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"DEWEY" POSTOFFICES.

A Curious Industry That Has Sprung Up in California.

Over a thousand horses have in the last few months been sent out of San Jose and converted into chicken feed. Horses have never so cheap since the Americans came into California as during the past twelve months. There were two reasons for this, namely, one the great number raised on the big ranches and the other the scarcity of feed. There are always some old and worn-out horses.

Petaluma is a great chicken-raising center. This industry is carried on there to a greater extent than at any other point in the state. With the growth of this industry came a demand for cheap feed for the chickens, particularly for meat. Men began to cook horseflesh and then pack it in condensed shape—a sort of meat cake. They bought the old and worthless horses or any other animal unfit for human food. This meat business grew, and the meat cake was shipped to various points and sold by dealers in chicken supplies. It can be bought in San Jose.

With the growth of the business, there was a larger demand for horses. Agents were appointed at all hay cities or near-by points to purchase the worthless horses to be found in the market.

There seems to be some uncertainty about just what the Petaluma packers paid for the animals. At all events, there is some difficulty in ascertaining the prices. Agents will pay all the way from 25 cents to \$3.50, the latter price only for large, heavy horses. Of course they always buy them as cheaply as possible, but it appears they never let a reasonably large horse go away until they had bid to three dollars.

When a bunch of animals have been secured they are taken to Petaluma and delivered. There the skins are taken off and sold to the tanners, the bones are preserved and sold to the manufacturers of fertilizers and the meat cooked and pressed into "cake" for the chickens.

One dealer on North Market street in this city has sent 500 horses to Petaluma during the past few months, and he knows that over 1,000 have been sent during the same months to the same place.—San Jose Herald.

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The Postoffice Department has been overwhelmed with applications from communities throughout the country to name their postoffices "Dewey." Already 28 postoffices in as many different states have been given the name of the hero of Manila Bay. This is only four less than those named after Washington. Over 300 other applications are on file. Seventy different places in Tennessee have asked for the name; Kentucky and Alabama come next with 50 and 45 each. Only one office in each state can bear the name. Of the 28 offices already established with this name two exist before the Masila battle.

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Fair Weather.

Louisville, Ky., May 25.—(Special)—Fair to-night and Friday.

HERE AND THERE.

—Dr. E. N. Fruitt, Dentist, office over City Hall, Hopkinsville, Ky.

—Some nice family horses, drivers and roadsters for sale at Layne's stable.

What Dewey did to the Spaniards the Milwaukee did for their competitors in Christian country last year.

A desirable residence with large yard, garden and orchard on South Virginia street torent. W. W. Wray.

Bryan & Wilkinson have moved their insurance office to second floor of Flack building on Ninth street.

Two registered prescriptionists at Anderson & Fowler's and prescriptions compounded day or night.

Don't forget that the Milwaukee binder is the only machine that trunks without bolts.

When wanting a nice package of chocolates and bon-bons call at Anderson & Fowler's and get the Plow's brand, the best in the market.

See the Milwaukee binder at Watkins & Edwards', the only machine that is carried on a coil spring, which relieves the bearings in rough ground.

Fine Watch Repairing, Diamond Mounting, etc. Old gold taken in exchange.

R. C. HARDWICK.

Mr. J. T. Hargrave, who has been with L. L. Elgin for several months, can now be found with the popular drug house of Anderson & Fowler, where he will be glad to have his friends call.

Remember when in Hopkinsville don't fail to see the Milwaukee mower, the only perfect mower on the market.

Farmers, please remember that there are over 200 Milwaukee machines now running in Christian county and giving perfect satisfaction. Call on Watkins & Edwards and they will give you names. This means 200 agents.

No cure, no pay, that is the way Porter's Anti-Septic Health Oil is sold for Blisters, Cuts, Blisters, Scars, Cracked Heel, Saddle Gall, Old Sores and all kinds of inflammations on man or beast. Price, 25 cents.

Have your clothes made, cleaned and repaired by Jon V. Fowright, Merchant Tailor, W. 7th street, opp. New Era office. The secret of getting a fit in a suit of clothes is to get a practical tailor to take your measure.

Several good second hand McCormick Binders for sale cheap at Branham & Sheets, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Doctors Thomas, Harned and Sargent, of Hopkinsville; Lovan, of Crofton; Watts, of Longview, and Forgy, of Fairview, represented Christian county at the late meeting of the Kentucky State Medical Society at Louisville.

Mrs. Lucy Ellis' new house on South Main has been framed and raised this week and will soon be ready for the brick veneering. It will be one of the handsomest houses on that fashionable street.

Mr. G. A. Hille is preparing to put up a brick business house on the vacant lot between his church building and Forbes & Bro's. new building. The excavating has already been begun for the foundation.

Nothing has ever been produced to equal or compare with TABLER'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT as a curative and healing application for Piles, Fissures, blind and bleeding, external or internal, and Itching and Bleeding of the Rectum. The relief and cure is instantaneous in all its parts. Price, 25cts, in bottle, tubes, 75cts. For sale by R. C. Hardwick, druggist.

Again Stricken.

Mr. John J. Gaines, of Montgomery, was stricken with paralysis Tuesday night while sitting at the supper table, and the last report was that he was in a very critical condition, says The Cadiz Record.

Closes June 2.

Miss Hallie King's school at Garrettsburg will close June 2. A concert will be given and an interesting program has been prepared for the occasion.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Dr. Andrew Sargent has returned from Louisville.

Mr. W. C. Slayden is spending a few days in Nashville.

Mr. T. L. Gant has returned from Dawson Springs.

Mrs. T. U. Smith, of Hadenville, was in the city Wednesday.

Col. J. H. Cooper has returned from a week's sojourn at Dawson.

Major W. T. Blakemore, of New Orleans, is here on a visit to his family.

Mrs. W. M. Hancock and Miss Lula Richards are visiting relatives in Mayfield.

Miss Edna Nash returned last night from a visit of a week to relatives in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Quarles, Mrs. M. W. Williams and Capt. D. Bell have returned from Dawson.

Dr. and Mrs. Andrew Sargent, of Hopkinsville, were guests of Mrs. Annie Lasley.—Stanford Journal.

Miss Irene Childers, of Eddyville, who is the guest of Mrs. W. R. Howell, visited friends in Lafayette this week.

E. D. Caldwell, of Hopkinsville, is now with the I. C. in this city, acceptably filling the position of Chief Clerk.—Henderson Gleaner.

Mrs. G. T. Wharton will return to her home near Cadiz-to-day. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Charles Meacham, who will make her a visit.

Miss Susie Lasley left yesterday morning in response to a dispatch from Supt. Starkes, to take charge of the agency at South Park.—Stanford Journal. Miss Lasley is a niece of Dr. Sargent, of this city.

Mr. K. L. Terry, who has been at home on a month's vacation, left this morning for Martinsburg, Ky., where he will take charge of distillery No. 46, as store-keeper and manager.

Col. Jno. C. Herndon, one of the Democratic candidates for State Treasurer, dropped into town for a few hours one day this week. He says he is well pleased with his prospects.

Attorney Prentiss Thomas, of Omaha, Neb., who has been spending a few days in the city, will go to Cadiz, his old home, to-day. He will be in Trigg some weeks visiting relatives.

Mr. Duncan Galbreath, the Jeweler, who has been in Kuttawa, Ky., for a year or two, will return to Hopkinsville as soon as he can make his arrangements to move. He will be located in the Novelty Store, on Main street.

Miss Calhoun, of Owensesboro, who was the contending candidate for State Librarian before the last Legislature and who was defeated by Miss Hardin by a very close vote, was in the city this week. She is again a candidate for the same position and will make an active canvass for the place. She will no doubt receive the solid backing of Western Kentucky.

Misses Mae and Katie Irwin, of Iowa, are expected to arrive to-day on a visit to their parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Irwin. Miss Mae Irwin is a professional nurse and lives at Des Moines, and her sister, Miss Katie, has been engaged in teaching in Western Iowa for four years. The latter may remain here and engage in similar work in Kentucky.

Realty Transfers.

Walter J. Cook to Mary J. McCarron, one fourth interest in lands lying on Sinking Fork, consideration \$65.

S. A. and W. B. Radford to Mrs. E. R. Cross, tract of land near Longview, consideration \$4,900.

W. B. and S. A. Radford to Mrs. E. J. Stegar, tract of land near Longview, consideration \$2,250.

Bank of Hopkinsville to W. C. Perkins, tract of land on Little River. Harriet Beedle and W. W. Ferrell to G. W. C. Lockhart, of Nashville, town lot on West side of railroad at Crofton, consideration \$1,250.

The 2-year-old son of Bud Moore, col., died in the city Wednesday, of bronchitis.

Price \$100. For sale by R. C. Hardwick, druggist.

1899 EDITION

Of Meacham's City Directory For Hopkinsville.

The 1899 edition of Meacham's Municipal Directory is now under preparation and will be issued during the present summer.

This Directory is the first ever issued for Hopkinsville and the new edition will be greatly improved and many new features added. Its publication was delayed six months on account of the free delivery system to be inaugurated after July 1, which will make it necessary to number all of the houses.

The system of numbering is one authorized and approved by the City Council and under it more than 600 numbers have been put up and are used in the Directory. These numbers will not be changed. They will be retained and the system carried to its completion.

Being a home enterprise, published more as a public benefactor than to make money, we rely with confidence upon the continued patronage of advertisers to the extent necessary to defray the cost of preparation and publication.

The circulation of the Directory will be gratuitous and the edition will be large enough to make the book a very valuable advertising medium.

The book will be compiled with great care by experienced home talent and the accuracy of names and information may be relied upon.

The taking of the census will begin in a few weeks and the book will be ready for delivery before the end of the summer.

This Directory is issued semi-annually from the KENTUCKIAN office and any parties who may want a copy of the last edition may obtain it without charge by calling at the office.

HEAVY SALES.

Offerings For the Week Over a Thousand Hogsheads.

The sales of the week this week were very large and offerings amounted to more than a thousand hogsheads. Lugs were in demand and prices ranged from \$2.50 to \$5. Considerable common leaf was also sold at figures quite satisfactory. The finer grades of leaf were possibly a shade easier than last week. Receipts continue very heavy and the crop of '98 is being rapidly moved to market. There is nothing of note to report in the loose market. The past few days have been very fine for setting out the new crop and it is estimated that about three-fourths of it is already on the hill. If another good season for plant setting should prevail within the next two weeks the acreage this year will be considerably larger than last.

TRIGG CIRCUIT COURT.

The May Term Now Drawing to a Close.

The May term of Trigg Circuit Court will adjourn to-morrow.

The grand jury returned 45 indictments at its session.

The fines assessed against parties under indictment for violating the prohibition law amounted to about \$1,400.

All of the Commonwealth's business was disposed of and attorney W. R. Howell returned home the first of the week.

Bitten By a Spider.

Prof. J. W. Rascoe, of Herndon, is suffering from the effects of a spider bite on his left wrist. His left hand is very much swollen, but he does not now apprehend serious results.

Capital Stock Reduced.

Amended articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of the Secretary of State by the Bank of Preston. To reduce its capital stock from \$25,000 to \$20,000.

Mrs. Christian Out.

The many friends of Mrs. Dr. R. E. Christian, of Lafayette, will learn with pleasure that she has so far recovered from her recent severe illness that she is able to be out again.

In Constipation HERBINE affords a natural, healthful remedy, acting promptly. A few small doses will usually be found to so regulate the excretory functions that they are able to operate without aid whatever Price \$100. For sale by R. C. Hardwick, druggist.

Summer Calls For

Window Shades,
Wall Paper,
Door and Window
Screens,
Cream Freezers,
Ice Chests,
Water Coolers,
Hammocks,
Lawn Swings,
Fishing Tackle,
Bath Tubs,
Lawn Mowers,
Fine Carriages & Traps

Every thoughtful owner of stock has a large lump of RETSOFF ROCK SALT in his manger, horse lot and pasture. This enables his stock to get salt all the time without getting too much, which sometimes proves fatal. We have just received a car load of it. It's the only pure salt obtainable. It will last a long time in the weather.

Another Car of Stock Peas

just received. Clover has been so uncertain for several years our farmers are planting peas as a substitute. They are fine for feed and fertilizer.

We have a very full stock of FERTILIZER FOR TOBACCO also, and can supply you right out of our warehouses.

Very Truly,

FORBES & BRO.

\$5.00 Cash

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\$2.00 Per Week

BUYS ANY WHEEL
WE HAVE
IN THE HOUSE.

Call To-day and Get One.

YOU'LL HAVE IT PAID FOR
BEFORE YOU KNOW IT.

—THOMPSON & BASSETT.

Monuments.

Each dollar saved on a monument or any cemetery work we do for you is that amount made for you. Look at the matter from a business standpoint. See our work, latest designs, etc., and give your orders to your home shop. We erect anything in the monumental line. Your order solicited.

ROBT. H. BROWN,

7th and Virginia Streets, Hopkinsville, Ky.